

(3) Exceptions to the Life Safety Code, NFPA 101, 2000 edition, chapters 16 or 17, are as follows.

(A) All required smoke detectors must be powered by the facility electrical system and be interconnected with the fire alarm system.

(B) Reference to apartment buildings in §16.1.2 or §17.1.2 must be deleted. Any floor above or below the floor of exit discharge that is used by semi-ambulatory clients, or those whose disability prevents them from taking appropriate action for self-preservation in emergencies, must be provided with smoke compartmentation.

(C) Emergency lighting is not required for means of egress if the facility operation is during daylight hours and if natural light, direct or borrowed, is provided so that the means of egress is usable in emergencies.

(D) Special protective electrical receptacle covers are not required.

(E) NFPA 96, Standard for Ventilation Control and Fire Protection of Commercial Cooking Operations, is not applicable if the facility has residential-type cooking equipment.

(F) Public corridors must not be used for return or supply air systems.

(G) Residential-type heating units or heating units designed for attic installations must not be considered to be units requiring furnace room construction as specified under §16.3.2.1 or §17.3.2.1.

(H) New additions or remodeling must be as required for new construction in accordance with paragraph (4) of this subsection.

(I) Sprinkler system for a janitor's closet as specified under §16.3.2.1 or §17.3.2.1 is not required unless the building has a complete NFPA 13 system.